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The President's Message.

about it is charged, by the ladies of the Court at Washington because Catoatzay's wife was objectionable to them, but the President assigns other reasons of state. We are cordial with Japan and many citizens of the United States have been called to office under the Japanese Government. Admiral Rogers crushed the Geraens and the honor of our flag has been vindicated. The Republic of Mexico is still treating the U. S. Government contemptuously, but the President hopes for better things. We are cordial with South American Republics. We must meet our treaty obligations with Venezuela. Extradition treaty with Nicaragua ratified. He is glad that Brazil has initiated steps to abolish slavery; but he regrets that they do not do it *a la mode Yankee*. He regrets that Spain does not follow suit in her West India Colonies. He wants a law restraining citizens of the United States from dealing in slaves even if they are residents of foreign countries. He alludes in terms of regret to the condition of affairs in Cuba, but intimates no intention of interfering further than to protect American citizens there, and hopes for continued peace with Spain. It is recommended to send and support eight American youths in China and Japan to serve as part of our official family in each of those countries. The national debt has been reduced \$66,037,126.80 within the last year, and through the sale of bonds at reduced rates of interest, our interest payment has been

"More than six years having elapsed since this last battle, men were fired between the armies then arrayed against each other, one for the perpetration and the other for the destruction of the Union, it may be well considered whether it is not a fitting time that the disabilities imposed by the constitution should be removed. That amendment does not exclude the ballot but only imposes the inability to hold offices upon certain classes. When the purity of the ballot is secured, are there any solid objections affecting the majority? I don't see the advantage or propriety of excluding men from offices merely because they were, before the rebellion, of standing and character insufficient to occupy positions requiring them to take an oath to support the constitution, and admitting the eligibility of these entertaining precisely the same views but of less standing in their communities. It may be said that the former should not take an oath, while the latter do not have to give an answer, so do. If they had taken that oath it cannot be doubted that they would have broken it as did the former class. There are as any great criminals distinguished above all the rest the part of the constitution, one objection to the measure they might in the judgment of Congress be excluded from such an amnesty. This subject is submitted for your careful consideration.

"The opinion of the Southern States is un happily not such at all true national citizens would like to see. Persecutions for opinion sake, personal violence or threats towards persons entertaining political views opposed to those of the majority, by the use of the arm of citizens, prevent immigration and the flow of much needed capital into the

The Water Works Question.
THE VIEWS OF AN OPPONENT.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

Mr. Editor Republican:

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any way to bribe whatever, the said enterprise would be a very people general good; otherwise, injustice will be done. But I hear it said, in this enterprise we do not propose to use the revenue of the town or to increase the revenue, either to meet the interest of the bonds—or to pay the bonds when due.

Well how is that to be avoided? The answer is that the revenue derived from the water tax that meet the interest and accumulate a sufficient amount to pay off the bonds.

But, you say, the water tax, which, I can assure you that it looks very flattering indeed, and at first glance seems very plausible; but I think it is beyond a reasonable calculation for the greatest and brilliant a success. The simplest way to get the money is to sell the bonds for eight hundred dollars annually. So you see we will have to sell water to thirty-two persons at twenty-five dollars each, sixteen at fifty-dollars each, in order to meet the interest alone, to say nothing of the cost of the water works, the water works, annual repairs &c. We all know the usual sagacity monied men use in seeking investment; and think you that any one man would invest his money in our bonds, looking only to the result of the investment? Hardly not. But sir when you see Council and Mayor are legally authorized by a special act of the General Assembly of the State to issue bonds, and they do so, your action is a valid one, and the Incorporation is not void.

But you say that the amount of the bonds collected—not by the selling of real estate directly, but by an increase of revenue and appropriation of a sufficient amount annually, until said bonds are satisfied.

Yes, they are raised by various means and a direct tax on real estate. Hence, you see that in case of a failure

uals combine with their money for the purpose of speculation, they usually anticipate a reasonable dividend on the

amount invested, but I cannot think for a moment that a company organized in

a moment that a company organized in
our village would expect more than a

reasonable per cent on their capital

and carried.

To give witnesses before all courts \$3 per day and ten cents a mile—referred.

To extend time for redemption of land sold for taxes—referred.

To allow 3 days grace on commercial paper made payable at a specified time and place—referred.

To make a display of weapons endangering the lives of others a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of \$500 to \$1000 and imprisonment in jail—referred.

Bill to give additional powers to Judges of Probate was defeated.

To amend section 774 of the code—referred.

Board of Education.

Committee reported adversely to bill providing for equal apportionment of public school moneys to every child in the State, on ground of unconstitutionality.

Alabama Legislature.

Wednesday, Dec 6th, 1871.

SENATE.

Mr. Sandford introduced a bill to reduce salaries of Governor and State officials and members of the General Assembly, almost identically the same as that introduced in the House.

Sherriff's sales. House bill to require County Suprs. to keep township funds separate.

The following has been "going the rounds" of late:

"I have been sendin' my darter

Nancy to skool to a schoolmaster

in this neighborhood. Last Fri

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.

Both Houses have organized. Beck offered a resolution asking the President certain questions regarding the execution of the Ku Klux law which meeting a storm of objections was referred to the committee on Insurrectionary States. Connor and Hancock of Texas were sworn in. Other Texas credentials were referred.

In the Senate Blair offered resolutions of enquiry (the same) Beck offered in the House regarding the enforcement of the Ku Klux law which went over under objection though the message was ready and the Senate adjourned.

Senate Anthony introduced a bill amending the election Act making it criminal to use any writing, device, token word or gesture with intent to intimidate voters or counselling or indirectly procuring the use of such measures of intimidation.

Robertson endeavored to introduce an amnesty bill but was declared out of order. Adjourned.

House—apportionment bill was sprung no conclusion was reached.

From Ku Klux Committee, Stevenson offered a resolution for the removal of political disabilities and extending the time with

The Concert given by Mr. Gether at Centre Academy was quite a success. There was only one thing that marred the pleasure

of the large crowd in attendance, and the

was the appearance of some person in disguise during the exercises. The person

came in at the front door, and walked up the

TRACE CHAINS,
AMES'S SHOVELS,
AMES'S SPADE,
HAMES,
BREAST CHAINS,
SCOVAL HOES,
NAILS,
HORSESHOES,
SPADING FORK

&c.	&c.	&c.
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We are now offering our entire stock
of DRY GOODS,

BOOTS & SHOES,

On the most reasonable terms.

Thanking our friends and customers
for past patronage, we respectfully solicit
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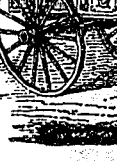
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They are without an equal in style and finish. There is no factory in the United States where greater care is given to this

Selection of the Material used.

A better quality of iron is used in their manufacture, and the tire is one eighth thicker than that used by other manufacturers.

THE TIMBER

Is of the choicest selection, thorough season. We claim by actual test that the

Whitewater Wagon

is 20 per cent. lighter draft

than ordinary articles in the market.

It is poor policy to buy a cheap Wagon. The Whitewater is furnished at a trifle above the price of ordinary wagons.

FOR SALE BY
E. L. WOODWARD'S SON.

from the best stock at the shortest
CASH TERMS. Our Grocery
department is also full equipped.

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With a view of giving and car-

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 of those who want to
 buy for CASH; and they pledge
 themselves to sell any goods in their
 line as low for CASH as they can
 be bought in the town or county.
 P. S. All who have not closed
 their account with me will please
 delay it no longer, as I am com-
 pelled to have the money paid it
 very convenient to keep two sets
 of books open.
 P. ROWAN.
 Jacksonville March 11 1871.

Republican

LOCAL COLUMN.

Mr. Hammonds discusses this week through the REPUBLICAN, in a temperate spirit, the water works question. That it is susceptible of argument will be hardly denied. No question in the range of speculation can be sprung but what man will differ on it. That this question was fully discussed before the election ordered by the Council is a matter of fact and the people decided at that election by a majority of about three to one in favor of water works. If the majority of the people of the town want the water, why that is an end to the question after all, for majority rule. If it proves a bad investment for the town that majority will suffer in common with the minority.

Mr. Hammonds goes on the assumption that those having wells will not be benefited by the water. The advocates of water works correctly argue that the whole town will be benefited in the increased facilities such works afford for the extinguishment of fires, reduced rate of insurance and the rapid increase of population resulting, as well as the enhanced value of every foot of land improved or unimproved in the town.

For us, we are in favor of the people of the town doing as they please in the matter, but we want them to do something. Without water or something else as essential and life inspiring Jacksonville will dry up soon.

On Friday evening of last week about 7 o'clock, Messrs Jones Bush and J. D. McAuley of Alexandria, rode out to the fox chase, having with them a fine chow of dogs. In a very short while they started a red fox near Mt. Zion, and, running it to the banks of the Coosa, a distance of fifteen miles, back again, up and down, round and round, thirty miles, they finally caught it. Thomas Polham's Sparta started it and was assisted throughout the race by Jake Green's Queen and Jones Bush's dog Whalebone and Plutarch. Hurrah for hoora.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: Ho! Ho! Those excellent gentlemen, Messrs. Draper & Johnson, having had the good fortune to secure his valuable services, now boast themselves of having a clerk. At once obedient to the call. Of fat and lean and short and tall. Come on come all!

JIM IN THE CORNER.

We are indebted to the Commissioner of Agriculture as well as Rev. P. T. Read who used his influence with that official to procure them for us, for two thirty and beautiful tea plants. We have placed them in a hot house for the winter and will take them out and plant them next summer and test the experiment as to whether tea can be grown successfully in this part of Alabama.

Several of our subscribers have signified to us the interest they take in reading the local furnished us each week from nearly every nook and corner of the county, by our clever and intelligent correspondents; but nothing has pleased us half so much as this incident furnished us by a gentleman the "other" evening. The REPUBLICAN had no sooner been announced than there was a scramble for it among the children. The youngest, a beautiful little girl of seven or twelve years, got it, however, when she said: "Give it to me, ma, I want to read the local."

Last week the notice of the advertisement of Messrs. McDONALD & Co., Clothing Merchants, Montgomery, Ala., was crowded out. They are too clever though to be passed by without a further introduction to our readers than their bare advertisement affords. Their establishment is the most immense of its kind in the city and their prices the lowest. Both proprietors and attaches are justly held in the highest esteem by customers who have dealt with them for their liberality, hospitality (for they make customers feel at home while in their establishment) and heightened courteous manners. Besides the proprietors, and we presume, employees, are "straight" Democrats a considerable recommendation to the people of the "hill country around about" Jacksonville.

Mr. Hammonds says we have a sufficient quantity of water to supply twenty five thousand people; if properly distributed.

This is so, and the water works advocates understand, propose to properly distribute it.

Mr. Smith Lipscomb has been reappointed Notary Public in Calhoun County, by his Excellency, Gov. Lindsay.

The Columbia Guide wants to know who that old lady was that had the baby in that town, and which our Oxford correspondent was "responsible" for.

Answer—Mr. Oxford local. It is your baby, not ours.

Our young people (and old ones too) will not forget that next Friday is the day on which Wooten & Height's circus will be on hand. Mr. Durand, the gentleman agent, has been around and left us an advertisement to which the attention of our readers is invited. The show is well spoken of everywhere it has been.

Colton worth, on the streets of Jacksonville, this week, from 17 to 178 cts.

I have a great many small accounts, (and some for postage) which I desire to close up, and respectfully request all who owe me to call and settle.

W. T. ALEXANDER.

The members of the Athenian Debating Club will engage in public debate at College Hall, on the evening of 29th inst. Public invited to attend.

Go and see. Ed. Woodward before buying your groceries.

ALEXANDRIA LOCALS.

Coming in—We notice on our streets to-day, several wagons loaded with the "Staple." The farmers in this part of Calhoun, are finding out that Alexandria is "true" market for them. Our cotton buyers always pay the highest prices, while our active and energetic merchants sell goods at the very lowest figures.

OFF TO GA.—Mr. S. J. Whitley with family, leaves to-day (Thursday), for his new home, purchased in Floyd Co., Ga., some time since. In this removal Alexandria sustains a loss from which she will not soon recover. He has the best wishes of countless friends for his future prosperity.

MARRIED.—On the 28th, at the residence of the bride's father, near Alexandria, by Rev. T. P. Guin, M. C. Hindman and Miss Fannie Glenn. All of Calhoun County.

Fox hunting is the sport of the season with us. Won't Messrs. V. & S. bring down that wagon load of blooded dogs they have—Jacob is very anxious to show them what he can do.

We had the pleasure of a call from Mr. John M. Caldwell the other day. He was as usual looking elegant. We hope John will make his visit more frequent in future. His old friends would be glad to see him at any time.

The energetic farmers of our Valley have taken advantage of the favorable fall we have been having, and put in large crops of wheat, all of which up to this time looks quite promising.

We have a splendid school house, but at this time we have no school. Why is this? There are plenty of children in and near Alexandria to make a good school, and a teacher not hard to get. No excuse. So go to work, ye lovers of Education.

Many, both old and young, are in our midst from the oppressed counties of South Carolina. Their reports and the reports we get from the papers are about the same. They are welcomed by all, with feelings of sympathy.

Our fellow townsman Mr. Wm. G. Ledbetter is now absent, in Montgomery attending Grand Lodge. He represents Lodge No. 208.

Cotton bick. We see our merchants paying from 16 1/2 to 17 1/2 cents for cotton, and proposing to close out large lines of their goods at cost.

SUCCESSOR.

NANCY'S CREEK LOCALS.

The health of our valley is very good, except that of Mr. Peter Bolinger and Wilson Gilmer; both have been and are in very feeble health. Mr. B. is now termed an octogenarian. But few, comparatively, live to that age.

We are nearly done gathering and some are doing sowing. We have had and are having our cotton crops gleaned and packed, hoping the price will soon get up to 25 cents. I must here state that there is a bale at J. B. Smith's, (seed cotton). Who can beat it? Mr. Smith is an experienced ginner and very accommodating, and gives full satisfaction to his many customers; his is a water power, and he well affords to gin for the 15th.

LADIES LOCAL.—Your No. 11 does not fill the measure. Write out the descriptive list again, and probably you will hit it. That brick kiln is sold but a few soft ones, (and most of them) at a new found building is now occupied by the proprietor; acorns are still in abundance, and the hogs are living fat. I presume you have bottom land to cultivate brother neighbor, and have sometime had it hung up to drip by your heavy firing down the creek. Be careful how you shoot. Don't load too heavy, and don't shoot up the creek. If you do, raise your sights.

If you want gobbers, go to Peter Diffy. He has 'em. He is an old goober grabber. He plants extensively and raises "oodles" of 'em.

There is one of those disappointed candidates in this valley, who wishes to tender his thanks to his friends that supported him in the hour of trouble, notwithstanding their inability to save him (at the polls).

Corn Grove Locals.

[We received these several days ago, they were crowded out last week, and we take the liberty of dropping out the reflections of our correspondent on the election, in which he congratulates the candidates and urges them to "be true, the faithful" &c. We want leave out what he says about the energies of a Rip Van Winkle, though, oh! no.—Ed. Rep.]

DEAR LON.—Speaking of grass reminds me that Clover is being raised successfully in this locality.

Corn is going at \$1.00 per bushel. The Rail Road men are close on us—sorter lost—will find the right way before long.

Our portion of the County is quite thrifty and will compare favorably with any other portion of Calhoun. We have a fine school and an excellent teacher. Two good stores—(one at Tagu's X Roads, and the other at Darville);—blacksmith shops, a carriage shop and a saddle, harness and shoe shop; but instead of one shoe shop we might have a dozen; instead of buying "brought on" cloth, we might make it. Oh! that the energies of a Rip Van Winkle might wake up the Choccolocous! We have the means, we have the locality, we have the water-power, we have every thing but some energetic man to put the ball in motion.

What does Capt. McKibbin say? Let us hear from him. We have now waiting one hundred bales of cotton to be subscribed to such an undertaking, and that beats narrow-gauge all hollow.

(CAPT. BENTLEY.)

WEAVER'S STATION LOCALS.

[These were received last week; but were crowded out with others. We would be glad to hear from the station every week.—Ed. Rep.]

MR. REPUBLICAN.—We see that nearly every town in the county are sending in local; and if it be agreeable we beg room for ours.

The population of our town is not large, but bids fair to rapidly increase, as almost every day, business men are here hunting business locations.

We have an excellent depot building erected by Mr. D. F. Weaver at his own cost. In connection with that he has erected a fine gin house in fifty steps of the depot, where he gins, buys, sells and ships cotton, or attends to business in any way in his usually satisfactory manner. He is the principal cotton-buyer here and pays the best price.

This is a beautiful location for a town; though as yet not many buildings have gone up; there are many in contemplation. We will burn the sedge off the public square, as soon as it gets dry enough and that will add considerably to our town.

We will have a Post Office here soon. One hundred bags of cotton shipped from here this season; but this is only a dribble. Dark Corner not having sent in any yet.

Urele Ladiga, we have no acorns. CLAY.

SHENCK'S SULPHUR SPRING LOCALS.

We omitted to mention, in our last, that our worthy and well known fellow-citizen, Ab Littlejohn, has selected a beautiful site on the north side of the Jacksonville and Gadsden road, 3 or 3 1/2 miles from the former, and is erecting thereon a commodious, comfortable and neat cottage dwelling. He expects to complete it and move in about Christmas, and has promised the "old and young folk" the privilege of christening it. A glorious old time that will be, won't it, Jake!

We also omitted to mention that Mr. Jack Woolly and lady have removed some ten miles north of this on the head of Olatchie creek and Mrs. Wylie Turner, his sister, occupies his dwelling—a temporary exchange for convenience.

We also feel privileged to mention the Sunday school at Union church, located three miles south of the superintendence of Rev. James Webster. Near the church is the neighborhood burial place, the appearance of which at all seasons, but more especially in the Spring, indicates an intelligent, high-toned and devotional community.

The show bills have been circulated among us and a very interesting debate in several households is the result. Mama thinks that men who don't work ought not to be patronized. The children claim the right to see the works of nature and papa, desiring to gratify his own love of fun, decides the children in the right, and mama at last gives in that it is no harm to go and look at the animals. The question of funds next arises. The little girls get their charm strings and parade from 15 cents to a whole quarter of a dollar, with a promise to perform many wonders in a short time, if papa will make up the deficit; the little boys go to trapping and hunting to raise the needed sum by sale of the game taken. George has succeeded.—He has already caught eleven birds and got his coveted 50 cents. This reminds us that it is time for netting birds. Tom and Taylor, Dan and Julius are having and will have their sport through the season.—The birds congregated for comfort and social enjoyment in Winter, while their foes, the girls and their boys, pair off by two, male and female, indulging in all the pleasures of flirtation, moderate or excessive, depending on her ingenuity or his gallantry. The injunction we will place on you is Sambo's advice to his ebony offspring:—"Young folks better be ticular."

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THE PUREST and SWEETEST Cold Liver Oil in the world is Hazard & Caswell's Cold Liver Oil, from fresh, selected livers, by Caswell, New York.

It is absolutely pure and sweet. Patients who have once taken it prefer it to any other. It is the best for the liver and to any of the other oils in the market.

JOVINS' Tonic and Kidney Cleaner restores solid gloves equal to new. For sale by Druggists and Fancy Goods Dealers. Price 25 cents per bottle. F. G. Wells & Co., New York.

The Human Body, Its Waste and Repair.

The body is undergoing constant waste, both in the ordinary processes of labor and action generally (as well as in the physical) and also in the ordinary processes of respiration (for example). This waste must be repaired by the blood, as it continually circulates and comes into contact with the various portions of the system; and the losses of the blood must be supplied from food. As the material of the food is derived from the substance of the food, so all the waste of the body must be stored up in the food. Food is organic matter in a state of molecular tension; and when, in digestion, it becomes decomposed, it is in the degree of tension of physical forces, such as muscular power, animal heat and the like. Every thought that we think, every breath that we draw, every slight motion, is due to the force of physical forces, such as muscular power, animal heat and the like. Every thought that we think, every breath that we draw, every slight motion, is due to the force of physical forces, such as muscular power, animal heat and the like. Every thought that we think, every breath that we draw, every slight motion, is due to the force of physical forces, such as muscular power, animal heat and the like.

Speaking of keeping warm reminds me that there were in this vicinity on Thursday night last, two weddings and one grand dancing party. Being a married man, of course I went to the party. It was decidedly the best thing of the season. The music was enchanting, the supper delicious and the ladies—but I fear my wife will see this. Of the weddings I have not yet heard enough to report; but will do so fully when the cake arrives.

An interesting meeting has been in progress at the Presbyterian church, conducted by the Rev. F. L. Ewing, assisted by the Rev. J. M. McLane, of Oxford.

Some Ohio men offered the government \$50,000 for the privilege of advertising on the backs of postage stamps one year.

THE FORT WAYNE REPORTER WHO DISCOVERED THAT WILKES BOOTH IS STILL ALIVE IS NOW LOOKING FOR BRUTUS, THE ASSASSIN OF J. C. SEAN.

KELLY, of Pennsylvania, the man with a cautious head and powerful voice, is still alive and will afflict Congress again this winter.

The disease that troubles the Prince of Wales most is said to be very much like that produced by Cincinnati whiskey.

F. G. PERRY, of Norwich, Connecticut, wears a patent nose glass, eye, a wig and a full set of false teeth. Mr. Perry does not claim to be a self-made man.

We fully concur in the sentiment of the poet, so touchingly set forth in the following elegant lines:—"I would not die in Autumn, With oysters fit for eating, When hickory nuts are in the fry, And hickory nuts are in the fry, O, who would think of dying, Or even getting sick!"

According to the estimate of a statistical exchange there are fifty-five Republicans, sixteen Democrats, one SCHURZ man and one BLAIR man in the Senate; and one hundred and fifty Republicans and one hundred and three Democrats in the House.

HAVANA, Dec. 4. A letter says only desecration of Cascon's grave consisted in breaking a glass case covering the high, remaining in the tomb and substituting wreaths of garile.

For this 8 students were shot and 11 sentenced to 6 years in chain gang; 13 to 4 years on chain gang, and 4 to 6 months in the penitentiary. The College asserted it was a mere frolic, but volunteers ruled the hour who raided the streets all day shouting 8 Cubans. Condemned students were not allowed an hour's respite to see their friends.

The Alabama Primitive Baptist is the name of a new paper, just started, at Ozark, in Pike county.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Penetrating to the source of disease in the secretion and the circulation, regulating every organ, and bracing every nerve and fiber of the body, DR. WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS are effecting the most astonishing cures on the cases of indigestion, biliousness, nervous weakness, nervous headache, and chronic constipation, that the world has ever witnessed.

MAGIC OF THE MOUTH.—Odorous food, renders the mouth enlivening, promotes the healthy action of the mouth, whitens the teeth, a delicious flower-like aroma to the breath, and preserves intact, from youth to old age the teeth.

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PHYSICIANS who have prescribed Sanguina or Purified Opium use no other form of Opium in their practice.

GRISTADORE'S HAIR OIL.—If all the hairs were to be cut off, the oil would grow back again. It gives the hair a soft, wavy, and sandy, white or red. The ladies have no stomach for it at all. See Circulars and get the full particulars. Manufactured, 68 Maiden Lane, New York.

THE PUREST and SWEETEST Cold Liver Oil in the world is Hazard & Caswell's Cold Liver Oil, from fresh, selected livers, by Caswell, New York.

It is absolutely pure and sweet. Patients who have once taken it prefer it to any other. It is the best for the liver and to any of the other oils in the market.

JOVINS' Tonic and Kidney Cleaner restores solid gloves equal to new. For sale by Druggists and Fancy Goods Dealers. Price 25 cents per bottle. F. G. Wells & Co., New York.

The Human Body, Its Waste and Repair.

The body is undergoing constant waste, both in the ordinary processes of labor and action generally (as well as in the physical) and also in the ordinary processes of respiration (for example). This waste must be repaired by the blood, as it continually circulates and comes into contact with the various portions of the system; and the losses of the blood must be supplied from food. As the material of the food is derived from the substance of the food, so all the waste of the body must be stored up in the food. Food is organic matter in a state of molecular tension; and when, in digestion, it becomes decomposed, it is in the degree of tension of physical forces, such as muscular power, animal heat and the like. Every thought that we think, every breath that we draw, every slight motion, is due to the force of physical forces, such as muscular power, animal heat and the like. Every thought that we think, every breath that we draw, every slight motion, is due to the force of physical forces, such as muscular power, animal heat and the like.

Speaking of keeping warm reminds me that there were in this vicinity on Thursday night last, two weddings and one grand dancing party. Being a married man, of course I went to the party. It was decidedly the best thing of the season. The music was enchanting, the supper delicious and the ladies—but I fear my wife will see this. Of the weddings I have not yet heard enough to report; but will do so fully when the cake arrives.

An interesting meeting has been in progress at the Presbyterian church, conducted by the Rev. F. L. Ewing, assisted by the Rev. J. M. McLane, of Oxford.

Some Ohio men offered the government \$50,000 for the privilege of advertising on the backs of postage stamps one year.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS.—One who has long studied this absorbing subject, now presents to the women of our country the result of this investigation. He is happy to say that he has at last discovered "Woman's Best Friend." It is a simple, especially, to those cases where the womb is diseased, and will cure any irregularity of the "months." Dr. J. Bradfield's Female Regulator acts like a charm in "whites," or irregular discharge of the "monthly" courses, from cold trouble of the liver, and causes the restoring the discharge in every instance. So also in chronic cases its action is prompt and decisive, and saves the constitution from countless evils and premature decay. This valuable preparation is for sale at \$1.50 per bottle. By all respectable Druggists in the land. Prepared and sold by J. H. Bradfield, Druggist, Atlanta, Ga. A thousand women testify to its merits.

October 7, '81

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For the impurities of the blood, during the Summer months, and the long train of terrible diseases which follow. "Cure-better's Compound Extract of Stillen-gin purifies the blood, cures Scrofula in its worst forms, cures Rheumatism, Scott's Emulsion, and removes all morbid and venereal taint from the system. It is legally warranted to cure. Sold by Dr. Nisbet.

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A CARD.

After Tuesday the 31st of October, the Tennessee House will be closed for the purpose of being entirely remodelled. It will not be again as we are finished with new appointments throughout; after which the proprietor hopes to merit more fully the liberal patronage heretofore received.

J. A. STANSBURY, Proprietor.

Rome, Ga. October 30th, 1871.

Good News.

That "Greatest of Living Remedies," (Globe Flower Cough Syrup) is now sold in your town, so that all may test its great virtues. It contains no Opium in its formula, nor any other drug. It positively cures Consumption! Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore throat, Oppression of the chest and spitting of blood. It is legally warranted to cure, so that none can be humbugged by the cheap imitations. Sold by Dr. Nisbet.

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The Great Pictorial Annual.

Huesteter's United States Almanac for 1872, for distribution, gratis, throughout the United States, and all civilized countries of the western hemisphere, will be published about the first of January, in the English, German, French, Norwegian, Welsh, Swedish, Holland, Bohemian and Spanish languages, and will contain the most valuable and reliable information, and the true philosophy of health should read and ponder the valuable suggestions it contains. In addition to an admirable medical encyclopedia, it contains a full and complete treatise on the diseases of the human body, and a great variety of diseases, it embraces a large amount of information interesting to the merchant, the mechanic, the miner, the farmer, the planter, and the sailor, and the calculations have been made for such meridians and latitudes as are most suitable for a correct and comprehensive Nautical Almanac.

The nature, uses and extraordinary sanitary effects of Huesteter's Stomach Bitters, the simple tonic and alternative of more than twenty years' experience, are fully set forth in its pages, which are also interspersed with popular illustrations, valuable recipes for the household and farm, humorous anecdotes, and other interesting and amusing reading matter, original and selected. Among the Annuals to appear with the opening of the year, this will be one of the most useful and popular.

The proprietors, Messrs. Huesteter & Smith, Pittsburgh, Pa., on receipt of a two-cent stamp, will forward a copy by mail to any address, and will also send a copy to the proprietors. The Bitters are sold in every city, town and village, and are extensively used throughout the entire civilized world.

PROSPECTUS OF THE OXFORD CHRONICLE.

The undersigned proposes to commence about the first of January next, the publication of a weekly newspaper, in the Town of Oxford, Ala., to be called the "OXFORD CHRONICLE." Our paper will be Democratic in sentiment, conservative in tone, and keeping always in view the welfare of our Southern people, will labor zealously and faithfully to promote the prosperity of her people.

The Great Political Question soon to agitate the country, we will endeavor to discuss in that spirit of calmness, moderation, prudence, foresight and fairness, the exigencies of the hour seem to demand.

While striving to promote the best interest of our whole people, the development of the natural, agricultural and mineral resources of our own immediate section, will claim a large share of our attention.

J. W. CLARKE.

The State of Alabama, Calhoun County. Probate Court of Calhoun County. Estate of James T. Williams dec'd.

I, the undersigned, under the last will and testament of said decedent having been granted to the undersigned on the 14th day of October 1871, by Hon. A. W. Venable, Judge of the Probate Court of Calhoun County, Alabama.

Therefore, notice is hereby given, that all persons having claims against said estate, will be required to present the same to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of Nov. 1871, with the time allowed by law, or the same will be barred.

J. H. OS. KERR, Executor of the last will and testament of James T. Williams, deceased.

Dec. 9 1871, 6t.

Commissioners Court Notice.

The Court of County Commissioners of Calhoun County, Alabama, will convene on the 1st Monday of January, 1872, for the purpose of making any changes in the Beat lines that may be necessary, and also, changing the places of voting in said beats, and also for the purpose of attending to any other business in which the people of the county may be interested in. The recently elected County Commissioners will take due notice of the above, and govern themselves accordingly. This 9th December, 1871.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

Dec. 9, 1871, 4t.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County.

Court of probate for said county, this 21 day of November 1871.

Estate of John W. Easley, deceased. THIS day came H. G. Ragan, executor of said estate, and filed his statement of account, and the court ordered a final settlement of said estate. It is ordered that the 26th day of December 1871, be appointed a day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and be heard.

A. WOODS Judge of Probate of Calhoun County.

nov23—4t

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JOHN FOSTER. WM. H. FORNEY.

FOSTER & FORNEY,
Attorneys at Law,
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Dec. 23d, 1865.

JOE. H. FRANCIS
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JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

HAVING associated themselves in the practice of law, will practice together, except in CRIMINAL CASES, in the counties of Calhoun, Talladega, St. Clair, Randolph, Cherokee and DeKalb Jan. 6, 1866.

M. TURNLEY. G. I. TURNLEY.

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WILL practice in all the Courts of St. Clair, Calhoun, Talladega, Shelby, Wilcox, Blount, DeKalb, Cherokee & Marshall; also in the Superior Court of the State. Prompt attention given.

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2 51 P. M. Express-Daily.

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A. M., and 8 30 P. M., and at Montgomery,

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Passengers for Mobile and New Orleans,

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There had a meeting of council and agreed to advertise for bids for water supply all around the city. Contractors are invited to call for bids in another column.

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ALEXANDRIA LOCALS.

Our town has for a long time felt the need of railroad advantages, and her people are now deeply interested concerning the East Alabama and Cincinnati Railroad. We think it will cross our valley at this point, and if so the town of Alexandria will not be outstripped by the old city founded by Alexander the Great, B. C. 332, and which was designed by him to be the metropolis of his Western Empire; but to be a town of no small note. Her people are now arousing themselves from that state of lethargy which so resembled the map of Rip Van Winkle, and like the Polesians will continue the work commenced for many years ago. Already there are many evidences of improvement and enterprise in our little village. Every natural advantage contributes to its prosperity. The climate and site are singularly healthy. No prettier spot for a town can be found in the State; and the large spring of pure water, which has furnished a cooling and refreshing draught to thousands of weary travelers, is noticed and remembered by every passer-by; its beauty and purity is surpassed by none in our country, and equaled only by one.

Alexandria Valley, in the centre of which is situated our beautiful little town, is eight miles in length and three in breadth, in which is to be found some of our richest lands, in fact the whole valley is filled with rich elegant farms, gardens of vegetables, and orchards of all kinds of fruits watered by fountains which burst forth in various parts, and flow westward in refreshing streams.

On these farms reside some of Alabama's best and noblest people, people who are energetic, enterprising, hospitable and kind. There are houses and lands here for many more, and we cordially invite good people to visit our town and valley, and if we and the country please the to make their homes with us.

When the E. A. & C. R. R. is completed, we will have a good town, many more families will be added to our already good society; we will have good schools, churches &c. In truth, we can not see why we should not have a town of the future, giving glowing prospects for Alexandria, and then as Meadville was an inland haven for the merchandise of Egypt and India, so will Alexandria Valley be a haven of plenty for her people.

DEATH.—Mr. Lewis S. Meade departed this life on the 15th inst. at his residence, near Middleburg, Ga., leaving a wife and family. He was a true, honest and faithful man, one who would be missed by all who knew him.

Mr. Addison Allen and family left Monday morning for Texas; also Mr. John S. Wadsworth, leaving this morning (Thursday) for the same State. He goes for the purpose of looking at the country with the view of moving out next Spring.

All members of Alexandria Lodge No. 288, are requested to be present at the next regular communication, which is on the 23d inst., business of importance.

CHENCK'S CROQUET SPRING. There has been a meeting of the Alabama Railroad. On Tuesday the line of the Alabama Railroad. On Tuesday the line of the Alabama Railroad.

Uncle Davy. (I don't mean Pap) catching his pet rooster in his bird trap?—No, nor about that other rooster that the dog killed. Uncle Davy might get a choice.

More anon.

OXFORD LOCALS. Cotton has been firm for several days with a gradual upward tendency until this evening. (Wednesday). We quote 18 1/2; but a little dull at the time of this writing. Trade has been very good since my last report, two weeks ago.

MAINTENANCE. At the residence of the bride father, on the 23d inst., by Rev. E. J. Smith, C. G. Moore Esq., and Miss Carrie Johnson. All of Cotton county. Peace, prosperity and happiness attend them through life's journey.

The brick work, on the M. E. Church is now about finished, and we hope soon to see the roof on the same. This building, when finished, will reflect credit on this community; and especially the denomination which built it. There are but few church buildings in North or middle Ala., better buildings than this one.

Dr. T. C. Williams, who has been, for several days, laboring under a severe attack of pneumonia, and who it was thought for several days by the attending physician, (Dr. Allen) would not recover, is much better today than for several days passed. This many friends will be glad to learn that he is now considered about out of danger.

The examination commences, in our school to-morrow, and will continue one week; at the expiration of which time the full term will close.

Our young folks, and some of the older ones, too, are preparing for a merry Christmas. I will probably say some thing more of this next week.

Mr. Editor, I wish, if you see that Child man, down in Shelby, you would tell him that that was "Aunt Sally's" baby he was inquiring about. Otherwise he knows her perfectly well—every body knows her.

estimates and highly commendable Institution. We understand they are to have a "Christmas-Box." Something quite new, in which all of the guests will participate. Besides this they will have two Comediettas, and delightful music. Cards of invitation will be issued.

Cotton ranges at about Rome prices, our merchants never letting any pass—country produce finds ready sale, for whether they want it or not, our friends C. L. Sharp & Sons, or Fancher and Teague, will never let wagons go home with their pork, fish, potatoes or goobers. Town people know where to go to get something good to eat.

Why did you not publish what we said in answer to that Rome Commercial man? [Being crowded we laid it over for a week, and it would have appeared in the present issue of the REPUBLICAN, had we not, in the meantime, come across the following amendment honorable in the columns of the Commercial. When our Cross Plains neighbors get used to Gaddy's style they will like him. His is a capital fellow.—Ed. Rep.]

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL AT CROSS PLAINS.—We learn that the Sunday School at Cross Plains is a very large and well conducted one. The Superintendent, Dr. G. W. Munroe, is a gentleman of large heart and intelligence, and deserves credit for the good work he is engaged in. As we have said before, it is a flourishing little village, and the only fault, if that can be fault, it is that it had a little too much vigor.

As expected, the Justice Court for this term has been removed to Lufkin. This will be rather inconvenient in many instances, to a majority of the citizens. Our business men want the Court to hold regular courts for the trial of civil cases; but he, or will he not, that's the question?

"SUN IS LIFE."—We had a splendid boat making in Eagle's Landing, but alas for our hopes. John Barlow, got the better of him and showed him the way to the Calabash. He came out, or paid out, but being overcome with shame or something of the sort left. He is one of the unadorned kind.

We learn that we are about to lose our S. S. Superintendent Dr. Munroe, having decided to spend the winter North. It will be hard to find a suitable gentleman to take his place.

Dark Knight and Game Creek. Happy Combination "this ah." In the first place firstly, I remark thereby. A cultured man, well educated and well killed one of the kindless varieties you ever had your naked eye on. The knobby killed him a while back or katana. He was a stunner.

speech reviewing the present administration at length, it seemed, notwithstanding the efforts of the Republican and Democratic parties. Among other things he manifested willingness to join with the moderate Republicans, such as Schurz & Sumner, or even James G. Blaine, in order to defeat the R. R. legislation.

Resolutions were adopted and the Convention adjourned. The police arrested six of the internationalists who attempted to parade yesterday. A meeting of the International Society was called and inflammatory speeches made at six o'clock this morning in the square. The police station where the prisoners were being arraigned. Large numbers, including women, visited the prisoners in their cells last night.

The Cosmopolitan Conference, at a meeting last night, passed resolutions denouncing interference, and recommending the internationalists to parade next Sunday, and raised money to defend the prisoners.

New York Herald's special from Madrid says there is tremendous excitement over Grant's message regarding Cuban affairs. The Government has resolved to maintain a firm attitude. Reinforcements of 40,000 men, 2 Generals, and 1000 guns will be dispatched immediately to Cuba.

PENETRATING to the source of disease in the secretion and circulation, regulating every organ, and bringing every nerve and fibre of the body, DR. WALKER'S VINE-GARBITTERS are effecting the most astonishing cures of indigestion, biliousness, general weakness, rheumatism, nervous disorders, and chronic constipation, that the world has ever witnessed.

MAGIC OF THE MOUTH.—Odiferous Season, renders the mouth enchanting, composed of the most delicate and purest ingredients, it breathes a sweet perfume to the breath, and preserves intact from youth to age the teeth.

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Now therefore, I, ROBERT B. LINDSAY, by virtue of the power and authority in me vested, as Governor of Alabama, do issue this my proclamation offering reward of TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS, for the apprehension of, and delivery to the Sheriff of Calhoun county, of said Hans Whitley, the reward will be paid to such person, or persons as the Sheriff of Calhoun shall certify to be entitled thereto. Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State, at the city of Montgomery, this 25th day of November, A. D. 1871, and of the Independence of the United States the Ninety-Sixth.

ROBERT B. LINDSAY, Governor. J. J. PARKER, Secretary of State. DESCRIPTION. Hans Whitley is black complexion, 5 feet 5 or 7 inches high, weighing 130 or 140 lbs, 20 years old, thick lips, large white teeth, prominent.

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The Sunday School Festivals of

the Episcopal and Methodist churches passed off very pleasantly and agreeably, a more extended notice of which will appear in our first regular issue for 1872; and also of the examination exercises in the Jacksonville Female Academy, at the close of the first session under the

The attention of the public is invited to the Notice of the new cash terms adopted by E. L. Woodward's Son, in his GROCERY trade. These terms will be invariable and without exception, and we have no doubt the custom of obtaining better terms will

See notice of sale of valuable Land in Cleburne county by James D. Thompson, Administrator.

Also, Executor's sale of valuable land near White Plains, by Thomas A. Kerr

Attention is respectfully invited to notice of commencement of next session of Select Female School, by Mr. and Mrs. Bellamy.

Most of the Locals are omitted this week, and will appear in the regular issue for January, 1878.

✂-We issue a half sheet this week in order to keep up the regular issue of legal advertisements, and also to give the printers as well as others some opportunity for rest and recreation during the Christmas festivities. To this we trust our generous patrons will not object.

Read! Read!
On and after Monday, January 1st '72, my terms will be Strictly Cash. I buy my goods for Cash, and can not afford to sell them at as short profits as I do, on time, but must have the money when

E. L. WOODWARD'S SON.
LADIGA LOCALS.
Christmas Gift, Lon, you can send by
Express or Telegraph as you like.
Well, to-day (Monday), Christmas,
beautiful day is passing off quietly, and
the little boys and girls are busy
with their Christmas cards and letters.

fire crackers, while Jeff our little Tule is standing on the portico bawling at the top of his voice for Dilsey to come and get the ashes from his fire place said he had sold them to her for washing and wanted them out of the way, at the same

Some few of the 15th amendments are around cleaning up what little Red rice and busthead there is on hand.

ROCK.

Telegraphic.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Co's engine and machine shop have been burned. The hotels and the greater part of the business portion of the city is burned. Forty families are horseless.

OHIO.

Cincinnati, December 22.—The

it is Constitutional for the city
Cincinnati to spend ten million
dollars for Southern Railroads.
The Presidents father is better
ILLINOIS
Chicago, December 22.—Twenty
drunkards froze to death last night

Toronto, December 22.—It very cold throughout the Dominion varying from 16 to 60 degrees below zero.

SOUTH CAROLINA.
Columbia, December 24.—The United States Court yesterday

Whitesides, after nearly two
four hours consultation, returned
a verdict of guilty on the first and
third counts, and not guilty on the
second and fourth counts. The
Court then took recess till Wed-
nesday next.

St. Louis, December 26.—The city is comparatively free from small pox. No new cases reported since last week.

The negroes still hold La Village, Arkansas as pressing horses and supplies and have

Later—The negroes have d
banded, and there are no fears
retained of retaliation by
whites.

Another rain storm in California Saturday night. Fifteen and a half inches fell within the hour.

towns have been flooded.

